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## HOUR RECESS GRANTED TO DEFENSE IN SNYDER CASE

The Defendant's Lawyers  
Claimed All Witnesses Had  
Not Been Summoned.

JUDGE ASKED AFFIDAVIT.  
ALLOWED THEM AN HOUR IN  
WHICH TO FILE IT.

Defense Is Playing for Time, Which Is  
the Vital Point in the Trial—  
New Venue Summoned.

The trial of Robert M. Snyder on a  
charge of bribery was resumed promptly  
at 2 o'clock this afternoon, and the defense  
sought to secure a continuance on the  
ground, as stated by Attorney Morton  
Jourdan, that several of its witnesses had  
not been summoned.

Snyder was on time, and 44  
men in the new special panel of jurors  
were on hand, having been served by Sheriff  
Dieckman's deputies since 10:30 o'clock  
this morning, the hour when the sheriff  
received the subpoenas.

Judge Ryan asked if the state was ready  
for trial, and Circuit Attorney Folk replied  
that it was.

"Is the defendant ready?" asked the  
court.

"He is not," replied Mr. Jourdan. "Sev-  
eral of our witnesses have not been served  
with summonses."

"Do you mean that you are going to ask  
for a continuance upon that ground?" the  
court inquired.

"Well, that is practically it," replied  
Mr. Jourdan.

The court again asked if the state was  
ready, and Mr. Folk replied:

Judge Ryan asked Mr. Folk if he desired  
that the defense file an affidavit to the  
effect that witnesses had not been served.  
Mr. Folk replied that he so desired.

Mr. Jourdan asked the court to excuse  
the defendant while the affidavit was being  
prepared.

"How long will it take you?" asked the  
court.

"I don't know," replied Mr. Jourdan.  
"It's another indefinite," said Judge  
Ryan. "It'll give you an hour."

"That's not long enough, your honor,"  
said Mr. Jourdan. "I hardly think I can  
do it in that time."

"I'll expect you back at the end of an  
hour."

"What will happen if I don't get back on  
time?" inquired the lawyer.

"You'll have to go to jail," facetiously  
replied Mr. Folk.

"You have to take your chances on  
that," said the court seriously.

"I have sick leave for a week," said Mr.  
Jourdan, "and am so nervous that I can  
 scarcely write. I may be late."

"Then let Mr. Lehmann write it for you,"  
said the court. "He has no nerves at all."

"But nobody can read Mr. Lehmann's  
handwriting," insisted Mr. Jourdan.

The court agreed that Judge Priest, to  
whose knowledge he can write a good hand,  
and advised that he do the work.

The defendant and his counsel were ex-  
cused for one hour.

**NEW VENIRE SUMMONED.**

This morning an entirely new venire for a  
special jury in the case of Robert M. Snyder  
was ordered, and summonses were placed  
in the hands of Sheriff Dieckman at 8 o'clock  
for men other than those who were summoned  
for the original special jury and summoned again yesterday after-  
noon, when the original order for the jury  
was quashed by the court.

Sheriff Dieckman immediately put his  
deputies to work serving the subpoenas, and he  
promised to have the new venire report  
for duty at 2 o'clock.

**TIME VITAL ELEMENT.**

Time has become the vital element and  
the ruling factor in the Snyder bribery  
case. Before the week is over the battle  
may become one of hours and minutes.

At midnight next Saturday the present  
term of the Criminal Court will expire. To  
finish the case before that time is the en-  
deavor of the state. To prolong the trial  
past that time is the hope of the defense.

Failure to finish the case before the close  
of the court term would mean that the  
whole trial, at great expense to the state,  
would have to be held again.

Night sessions have been planned by  
Circuit Attorney Folk as a means of finish-  
ing the case this week. The defense is  
not outlining its plans in advance, but  
every possible phase of dilatory legal tac-  
tics will be employed.

**WHAT THE CASE MEANS.**

On the outcome of the Snyder case de-  
pends whether a number of former coun-  
cillors will have to face a jury in a crimi-  
nal proceeding on a charge of perjury.  
All of the evidence against these former  
is in possession of the jurors and Circuit  
Attorney Folk. Should the verdict in the  
Snyder case be for conviction, indictment  
will be returned at the trial of the former  
councilors. Should the trial result in  
Synder's acquittal it is probable  
that the former will be exempted from  
trial by the Central Tract bill through the  
Council. It is known that Senator Morrissey  
and Gaus have turned state's  
evidence and are prepared to testify to all  
of the famous cases.

Charles H. Carroll, Paulus Gast and  
Charles H. Thuner were also members of  
the Council at the time of the passage of  
the Central Tract bill. They were  
council members and voted for the bill. So far  
they have declined to furnish the state with  
testimony, but they are likely to do so  
for the jury. Carroll is out of the city  
and the deputy sheriffs have been unable  
to locate him and serve processes upon him.

**WILL TRY TO DISQUALIFY.**

But one more dilatory measure remains  
for the defense. An effort may be made  
to disqualify Judge O'Neil Ryan from  
hearing the cause on account of prejudi-  
cial bias. Should this be done, the delay would  
be slight and the case would simply be  
transferred to Judge Douglas' division of  
the same court. The dilatory measures  
raise the May 1st question. Will the defense  
try to disqualify Judge Douglas, but it is argued that he  
would not permit them to consume time,  
and they would dispose of them without ar-  
gument.

## PRESIDENT MOVES TO END STRIKE

Coal Famine Subject of White  
House Conference.

**THE CABINET CALLED IN.**

SECRETARY ROOT CALLS ON NEW  
YORK MERCHANTS.

It Is Realized That Something Must  
Be Done to Change the Present  
Condition in the Country.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—The coal strike  
and the situation that has resulted from  
it was the subject of a conference held at  
the temporary White House today in which  
the President, Attorney-General Knox, Sec-  
retary Moody, Postmaster-General Payne  
and Gov. Crane of Massachusetts partic-  
ipated.

Everyone connected with the conference  
realized that something must be done to  
relieve the situation, the near approach of winter and  
the great scarcity of fuel. Just what ac-  
tion can be taken is not known.

The fact that a move has been made in  
the Massachusetts courts to have re-  
ceivers appointed for the coal companies  
was discussed, but the legal view was that  
this was entirely inadequate and would not  
likely to relieve the situation.

The impression prevails that one reason  
for the hurried visit of Secretary Root to  
New York was for the purpose of discussing  
with the leading business men of that  
city the situation with a view to bringing  
the strike to an end.

It is realized that something must be done  
to change the present condition in the  
country.

Representatives of 15 states are to stake  
out their claims on the World's Fair  
grounds this afternoon, following the cere-  
monies in honor of their arrival.

Besides ten governors and two United  
States senators, members of state com-  
missions represent a number of chief ex-  
ecutives who were invited to come to St.  
Louis to look over the Fair site in person.

The United States government board is  
also present, and a majority of the mem-  
bers of the Board of Lady Managers.

The guests were taken on special trolley  
cars this morning to the Country Club,  
where breakfast was served at noon.

At 10:10 o'clock a party of 200, of whom  
about 35 were ladies, boarded special trolley  
cars and went to the Southern Hotel. Ten or twelve  
states were represented.

The roast was served in the large dining  
room of the club house. While the band struck up  
the national anthem.

The breakfast was finished at 2 o'clock.  
After breakfast the cars again and were taken to the World's Fair site where  
the allotment ceremonies were to begin at  
2 o'clock, space first being awarded to the  
exhibition exhibits and then to the  
states.

The order of allotment is the following:  
New York, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Wis-  
consin—Gov. W. D. Rapine; Minnesota—  
J. T. MacMurray; and E. Rapine; Iowa—  
Arkansas—Thomas Milan, secretary;

United States government board—J. H.  
Bishop, chairman; Wallace Hill, John C.  
Schofield; John B. Broome, F. A. Rapine;  
Edward M. Dawson, W. de G. Ravanel, G.  
W. Langford, S. Fox, Dr. Falkner,  
W. D. Fox and E. W. Fox.

Kentucky—Clarence Dallam, chairman;

Tennessee—John W. Newman, Charles P.  
Weaver, former mayor of Memphis; F. A.  
Ford, managing editor of the Courier-Journal;  
Charles P. Norton, Sam P. Jones, A.  
Nelson and H. Hungford, all of  
Louisville; S. S. Shadwell, A. C. Johnson,  
J. H. Hickey, Lexington; Ed Woolfolk, Paducah;  
J. G. Sturtevant, Winchester;

Maine—Lemuel Lane, Louis B. Goodall,

Ohio—Sam Rankin, Edgar M. Wooley,  
John W. Noble and Dr. Albert Merrill;

Representatives of the different states  
and the District of Columbia who  
are to take part with the governors in  
the work of selection are as follows:

Missouri—T. E. Thompson, 2:30;

Louisiana—F. L. Tamm, 2:30;

Illinois—Wallace Hill, 2:30;

South Carolina—John C. Schofield, 2:30;

North Carolina—Sam P. Jones, 2:30;

Kansas—John W. Newman, 2:30;

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*Huggins, Anderson & Barney*Thousands of Pieces  
Ribbons!Satin Taffetas—Plain Taffetas—Liberty Satins.  
Regular Prices 50c to \$1 a yard. Sale Price 25c a yard

An immense purchase of these will be on sale to-morrow, beginning at 8 o'clock in the morning.

Hat and sash Ribbons in 6 and 7-inch Roman stripes, 4 and 5-inch tw-toned ribbons, rich shaded and corded ribbons for pillow ruffles and other fancy work.

Also Regular 15c Ribbons on sale at 5c a yard

These are all-silk French gros-grain, moires and brocaded Ribbons, white and all the most desirable shades for hair ribbons, underwear and fancy work.

In office of no custody when he appears gray was ball. He lives at 78 property as who would be by the

of Postoffice dower Gray fine duties. Sheriff's home. Dyer had bid as unable to

John McGrath freedom and residence in the United States, such condition they were until released, and as so reported women were released, where of the United

but is now his last post

... The ...  
**Season for Millinery**

is now with us—every lady who contemplates buying a Hat, and wishes to be smartly dressed, will find in our Millinery Parlors a select and complete array of Beautiful Millinery of unique, exclusive and most practical design, the work of the best artists and at prices most reasonable.

See our choice and novel selections in Ladies' Belts, Ties, Stock and Collars; Ruffs in Chiffon, fancy patterns and Ostrich—also Muffs to match—Chains, Pins and Jewelry Novelties in profusion. Hair Ornaments and Pom Poms for the V. P. Ball.

Extra special assortment of Hats for Wednesday and Thursday for \$5.00



515 LOCUST STREET—515

**HAD HIS NAME CHANGED**

Was Married as Henke When, Legally He Was Linhardt—Now He Is Henke.

Marriage caused John Edward Linhardt to desire that his name be changed. Sept. 10, the young man was married under the name of John Edward Henke, the surname youth bore since his mother married Henke in 1886.

Legally the young man's name was John Edward Linhardt. He got to the altar about it after marriage and decided that it was only fair to his wife that he legalize his name.

He applied to Judge Talty Tuesday morning for a change of name to Henke and the application was granted.

Mr. Henke is connected with the Simons Hardware Co.

**AFTER THE GUILTY PERSON**

Stay of Execution for Negro Driver Accused of Delivering Short Weight Coal.

Mayor Wells has granted a stay of execution for 20 days in the case of Gran Carson, a negro driver, who was fined \$100 by Judge Tracy in the Dayton Street Police Court recently for delivering short weight coal.

When asked why he had stayed the fine Mayor Wells said to the reporter: "The negro found no reason for so doing after thoroughly investigating the case. We propose to put a stop to the practice of selling short weight coal."

He added: "I have no objection to the negro's carrying out of that particular provision of the will with which he was charged."

The negro, he said, was not guilty of the charge that he was thus deprived of another of his own free will and with his consent.

The report that a recently deceased New York woman left her husband by will to another woman, has been published, and is interesting to note the result of this testamentary disposition of a peculiar kind of personal property by the testator.

For the sake of establishing a precedent we should like to see the legal effect of the provision of the will as to the carrying out of that particular provision of the will with which he was charged.

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Yale campus last night.  
"I can have the freedom  
no mashing," announced  
naming the steps of Osborn

the word went round. Five  
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Everybody was smoking,  
an abomination," cried

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n, would your sweetheart let  
after smoking that thing?"  
Nation to the nearest fresh-

"she began. "I am not—"

"yelled the mob.  
in the El-  
covenant with hell, I believe

a the Yale Glee Club began:  
Mrs. Carrie, how are you this morning?  
dressing of me, my pretty base? . . .  
so you've been drinking again? . . .  
is a dog trained to howl? . . .  
out and did his best. Mrs. Nation  
patiently. . . .  
rummon is the' . . .  
the students broke out:

drinking house, forever more,  
drinking days will wait no  
a has been done and that's no lie  
look what liquor has done for me.  
good-by, house, good-bye, more.

an audience to the sentiment of such  
3; really in all my life?"  
at them came:

Give us a drink, bartender,  
We love it, as you know—  
And surely you will oblige us,  
With a smile, and say so.

"The saloon," shouted Mrs. Nation, "has  
seen after those singers. It'll get 'em if  
they don't watch out!"

But the answer was:

Show me the way to go home, Carrie,  
Show me the way to go home, Carrie,

For I've been drunk for the last six months,  
Show me the way to go home, Carrie.

You're on the road to—" screamed

Mrs. Nation.

"O, fudge, Carrie," yelled the Yale men.

"I'm a regular sailor, ha, ha!

I have never had a cigar;

Of smoking or drinking I've never been thinking;

As I sit here, I'm so sick;

Show down with king alcohol.

She couldn't finish. New drinking songs  
topped off every one of the periods of the  
drinking session. Finally she started back to  
the New Haven House, preceded by a  
flying wedge. She snatched every cigar  
off the table.

"Take that nasty thing out of your  
mouth," she cried to Burnside Winslow,  
captain of the Yale nine, plucking the cigarette.

"What would your sweetheart say?"

Later, Mrs. Nation visited the campus  
and made several speeches.

### "BLOODY MONDAY" AT HARVARD

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Sept. 30.—It was  
"Bloody Monday" night at Harvard and the  
freshmen classes clashed in their annual rush, which was  
marked by all the ferocity of former  
years. The senior classes were  
overwhelmed, in which the freshmen were  
victorious because of their superior numbers.

No one was killed, no bones were broken,  
but torn clothing, bleeding noses, cut  
faces, broken black eyes and hard blows  
were to order. In the sight of the  
regular time-honored rush which has taken  
place for years, but there was one new  
feature which even the older students  
of the peace were unable to stop.

After the rush, the two classes sepa-  
rated and joined in a general procession  
of students, marched out on Massachusetts

avenue. Then they blocked the road. Street car  
traffic was suspended for an hour while  
the students held sway. As soon as a car  
tried to proceed, the trolley was pulled off  
and if the conductor tried to interfere, he was "rough-housed" till he re-  
pentant. The cars were boarded, signs were  
posted and the drivers were separated.

A long line of cars was piled up waiting to  
get by. The policeman did not dare to  
intervene, and several conductors  
were roughly handled.

Finally, the students, tiring, separated  
enough to allow the cars to pass through.

## BOHEMIAN KING UNDER ARREST

Catholic Unionists Charge  
Matoushek With Dis-  
turbance.

Frank Matoushek, the abbot of "King  
of Little Bohemia," was arrested Tuesday  
morning for disturbing the peace in con-  
nection with the convention of the Bo-  
hemian Catholic Union in session at the  
Church of St. John of Nepomuk.

Matoushek has been at odds with the  
parish priest and many of the parishioners  
for months, and it was the difference be-  
tween him and his pastor which caused his  
recent abdication and his announcement  
that he would sell his house to a ne-  
ighbor and move out of the parish.

Two years ago Matoushek was arrested  
on a charge of disturbing the peace at a  
church meeting. He was fined and later  
clashed with Father Blaha, the rector, who would  
have to pay his fine and more. According to  
the "king" cut down the sum he had been  
given by his new rent. The priest re-  
fused to accept Matoushek's offer.

The Vigilant reported that holding the  
throne wasn't worth the trouble.

**ROOT SAYS HE WILL STICK.**  
Declares He Has No Present Intention  
to Resign.

Capt. Defended Which Defeated Lord  
Dunraven's Valkyrie II.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—Perry Chubb of  
the New York Yacht Club has sold to F.  
Lothrop Ames of Boston and member of  
the same club the famous American cup  
defender, "Valkyrie." Mr. Ames intends to  
take it to Boston early next season and  
will use it cruising along the coast, most  
of the time, but will race when opportunity  
offers.

The Vigilant successfully defended the  
American cup in 1893 against the Val-  
kyrie II.

**First of St. Alphonse's Euchrees.**  
The first of a series of euchrees to be given  
by the Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Al-  
phonse's Church will take place Wednesday  
evening in Sodality Hall at 8 o'clock.

Delegates He Has No Present Intention  
to Resign.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—Secretary of War  
Root was asked today if it was true, as re-  
ported from Washington, that he had de-  
creed to resign. He said he had no intention  
of leaving the service. His next step will be  
to take it to Boston early next season and  
will use it cruising along the coast, most  
of the time, but will race when opportunity  
offers.

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American cup in 1893 against the Val-  
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**DAUGHTER OF SECRETARY OF STATE  
WEDS IN NEW HAMPSHIRE**

Mr. C. F. Given, Sussex, N. B., Vice  
President of "The Pastime Boating  
Club," writes:

"Whenever the cold weather sets in  
I have for years past been very sure to  
catch a severe cold which was hard to  
throw off, and which would leave after-  
effects on my constitution the most of  
time."

"Last winter I was advised to try  
Peruna, and within five days the cold  
was broken up and in five days more I  
was a well man. I recommended it to  
several of my friends, and all spoke the  
highest praise for it. There is nothing  
like Peruna for catarrhal afflictions.  
It is well nigh infallible as a cure, and  
I gladly endorse it." —C. F. Given.

A Prominent Singer Saved From Loss  
of Voice.

Mr. Julian Weisselt, 175 Seneca street,  
Buffalo, N. Y., is corresponding secretary  
of The Sangerlust, of New York; is the  
leading second base of the Sangerlust, the  
largest German singing society of New  
York and also the oldest.

In 1890 The Sangerlust celebrated its fifth  
anniversary with a large celebra-  
tion in New York City. The following is  
his testimony:

"About two years ago I caught a se-  
vere cold while traveling and which set-  
tled in my lungs. I took Peruna, and  
so relieved my voice that I was obliged  
to cancel my engagements. In  
distress I was advised to try Peruna, and  
although I had never used patent medi-  
cine before, I took it for both colds and  
colds."

"Words but ill describe my surprise to  
find that within a few days I was greatly  
relieved, and within three weeks I was  
entirely recovered. I am never without  
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## Opening China Store

TOMORROW—WEDNESDAY

Magnificent display of China, Statuary and Bronzes secured by our buyer on a recent European tour.

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED.

**Simmons Hardware Co.**  
Broadway & Locust

## DISPATCH S CUPID'S AGENT

*"AD" BROUGHT BRIDE AND GROOM TOGETHER.**OF LOVE DID THE REST.*

Alexander Danner Advertised for a Wife, and Miss Ehret—Now Mrs. Danner—Answered the "Ad."

Cupid cannot monopolize the credit for his marriage of Alexander Danner and Barbara Ehret, who were wedded in St. Louis Monday afternoon, and who will keep house at Lotta and St. Clair avenues, East St. Louis.

A Post-Dispatch "want ad" brought the pair before Cupid knew anything about them, and the work was done before their first meeting. Then, it must be conceded, he performed his part very well.

Mr. Danner is a tall, slender dairymen. Two weeks ago Danner advertised in the Post-Dispatch, was engaged in a competition that the competition was open to widows, though young women would receive preference. The competition was to see how many eggs could be produced from a hen.

Next day and the day following the postman marveled at the volume of the dairyman's mail. Letters came from all over, some of these were plainly from triflers, and these were thrown aside. He continued to sort the letters from the shaft until but two

One of the letters was from a St. Louis engraver. Her grammar was faultless, her handwriting was a beautiful vertical copper plate signature. The other was from Miss Ehret, who lived in Bellwood, and she had written in a simple and comfortable copybook style, and the writer catalogued her household qualifications.

She was a widow, and the letter said, "I am a widow, and I have no children, and Danner went back across the bridge to prepare his home for his bride.

### STRIKERS' "FERRIS WHEEL."

Novel Device by Miners to Earn Money for Their Families.

From the Philadelphia Press.

Many plans have been adopted by the striking miners to make money during the strike, but none has been more successful than the idea conceived by several eleven miners at Pittston, Walling, Pa., in the district and not desiring to leave their place of amusement and getting what few nickels a day before the strike began.

The miners have built a small Ferris wheel, which is a copy of the one at the World's Fair, and it is 24 feet high. It is worked by a crank and a chain, and the miners charge 5 cents each time some of the material had to be repaired and this was obtained with the understanding that it is to be paid for out of the earnings.

The report covering coffee and tea imports for the year shows a decrease of 10 per cent. by the report for the year before, namely, that Americans are becoming the great coffee drinking nation of the world.

## PHILIP ROHAN JAMES CAMPBELL'S ABDUCTOR. IS IN CHICAGO

Both Men Were There at the Same Time.

RECALLS A THRILLING STORY.

HOW ROHAN TRIED TO GET \$30,000 FROM THE BROKER.

Story of the Abduction as Told Soon After the Occurrence—Campbell Was Compelled at Pistol's Point to Ride With Rohan.



PHILIP ROHAN.

CASH OR CREDIT.

Good Ingrain Carpet, per yard.....

Better grade Ingrain Carpet, per yard.....

Good Brussels Carpet, per yard.....

Velvet Carpet, per yard.....

Axminster Carpet, per yard.....

Good Ingrain Rug, 9x12.....

Good Brussels Rug, room size.....

\$11.75

\$15.50

\$21.45

Axminster Rugs.....

# 10 ANNIVERSARY SALE

WE are celebrating our 10th Anniversary this week in a manner quite befitting the occasion. Every department is offering unparalleled values. Opportunities for money saving were never greater nor more plentiful. BE SURE AND COME TOMORROW.

Our constant aim is to make this store more perfect, that shopping may be pleasant here as well as profitable. We urge you to make any complaints or suggestions that will have a tendency to bring about this result and assure you they will be greatly appreciated. Kindly address General Manager, Grand-Leader.

**From 8 to 10.**

Braids—Trimming also braids and braids—gimp—also fancy trimmings of many styles, a big lot worth \$10 per yard—from 8 to 10 yards in a piece—in basement, from 8 to 10, per bunch..... 1c

Garter Webbing—Fancy Silk Garter Webbing—all bright colors, but slightly imperfect—worth regularly 15 to 25 cents per yard—from 8 to 10, on main floor, per yard..... 1c

Fancy Linens—Odds and ends of stamped and fancy linens—stamped curtains, valances, linnen, etc.—tray cloths, fancy bibs, Battenberg Patterns, fancy centerpieces—worth up to 10 cents—all right—10, on third floor, choice..... 5c

Handkerchiefs—"Seconds" of Ladies' Fine Sheer Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs—worth up to 10 cents—from 8 to 10, on main floor, each..... 10c

Underwear—Merino Shirts and Drawers—all sizes—worth regularly 20 cents—from 8 to 10, on main floor, per garment..... 25c

Laces—In order to make more room for nearly a million yards of lace, our buyer bought in Nottingham, and now in the custom house, we will sell out all Nottingham Laces on hand—goods worth up to 20 cents per yard—from 8 to 10, in basement, per yard..... 5c

Waistings—Another shipment of 50 pieces of 20-striped waistings—Grosgrain—of all the pretty solid color grounds—stripes running through—worth 50 cents per yard—from 8 to 10, on main floor..... 25c

Embroidered Flannellettes—Several thousand pieces of fine silk embroidery—just the thing for trimming children's dresses and underskirts—worth 15 cents per yard—from 8 to 10, in basement, per yard..... 3c

Veiling—Several hundred pieces of finest Tuxedo Veiling, in black, white, and various colors—worth up to 30 cents per yard—from 8 to 10, on main floor, per yard..... 6c

Neckwear—A lot of Fancy Neckwear, including worth up to \$1.50 each—from 8 to 10, on main floor, each..... 25c

Ladies' Muslin Drawers—Of extra quality—upholstered style—of various colors, finished with embroidery, or with two clusters of tucks and wide hemstitching hem—worth up to 10 cents to 12 on second floor, three pairs for 50c, or per pair..... 17c

Silk Pongee—Black All-Silk Pongee—made by one of the best manufacturers in the country (but 12 inches wide) in the regular size—worth up to \$1.00 per yard. This silk is suitable for pleating, ruffling, etc.—from 8 to 10 (if they last that long), in silk—worth per yard..... 25c

Tooth Picks—"Ideal" Wood Toothpicks—worth 5¢ per package—from 8 to 10, on fourth floor..... 1c

Plates—French China Dinner Plates—nearly 300—each \$3.00 per dozen—last that long on fourth floor, each..... 10c

Skin Patterns—Of extra heavy 56-inch Melton Skirt Pattern—suitable for lined blouses, in navy blue, brown, black—in three-yard patterns—worth \$2.00 from 8 to 10 in basement, per pattern..... 20c

Underwear—Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Fleece—Colored Cotton Vests—high neck, long sleeves—worth 25 cents from 8 to 10 on main floor, per garment..... 15c

Lace Curtains—French Guipure—French Lace Curtains—3/4 yards long and 54 to 60 inches wide—some have very slight imperfections—worth up to 50 cents a pair—from 8 to 10, on third floor..... 1.25

Lambréquins—Large size Mantel or Planche curtains—made of French satin, in beautiful silk and damask designs and colorings—finished with gold fringe—worth up to \$1.50 from 8 to 10 on third floor..... 39c

Soaps—One case of fine Miller Turkish Bath El-der Flower and Palm Oil Soaps—large cakes—always sell for 2¢ per bar—from 8 to 10, on main floor, at.... 2c

Percale—One case of very best 56-inch light-colored Fancy Face Percale—regular 15¢ quality—from 8 to 10, in basement, per yard..... 5c

Outing Flannel—One case good quality light colored Outing Flannel—bargain at 30 cents from 8 to 10, in basement, per yard..... 3c

Shaker Flannel—Two cases of heavy white flannel—bargain at 40¢ from 8 to 10, in basement, per yard..... 4c

Sheeting—Two cases of good heavy 104 unbleached—worth up to 50 cents a pair per yard—from 8 to 10, in basement, per yard..... 14c

Underdown Cloakings—60 pieces of very best quality 36 and 40-inch Underdown Cloakings—a big bargain at 40 cents a yard—from 8 to 10, in basement, per yard..... 35c

Wells—150 doz. size 18x36—fancy bordered—All-Linen Damask Towels—cheap at 15¢ pieces—from 8 to 10, in basement, each..... 6c

**WIRELESS TELEGRAPH**  
States Signal Corps Is Perfect System That May Be Carried in Soldier's Knapsack.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 28.—Officers of the State Signal Corps are working out the details of the knapsack which is to be used for carrying the apparatus which is necessary for all wireless telegraphy. It will be carried on a soldier's knapsack in connection with the apparatus which is charged and manipulated by the advantage of the system.

The present incumbent and seeks renomination. At Wednesday night's meeting he will endeavor to secure the endorsement of the word for the candidate. A number of prominent politicians are to speak. Among them are Mr. John M. Russell, John I. Martin, Police Commissioner Blong and Lieut.-Gov. John A. Lee.

III-Health Caused Suicide.

Prompted by ill-health, Fred Krauth, 65 years old, residing at 315 North Jefferson Street, has saluted on Jefferson and Franklin avenues, and after noon and swallowed poison. In a few moments he was dead. Krauth left a note for his wife in which he stated that his health had next morning failed him and that those in Germany might be provided. These will

**GRAND LEADER**  
STIX, BAER & FULLER

Fastest Growing Store in America.

**Dress and Walking Skirts.**

**Pleated Snow-Flake Walking Skirts**—the most popular skirt of the season, made with side pleats and kilted bottom, finished with stitching in black and blue, with white flakes—\$2.98 Wednesday..... \$2.98

**Ladies' Walking Skirts**, in four different styles of chevrons, made with chintz, snowflakes, suiting and melton, plain tailored plaid and kilted effects, all handsomely finished with stitching, well made and perfect fitting, in black, blue, gray, Oxford and brocade—several styles—worth up to \$1.50 values..... \$4.95

**Slot Seam Walking Skirts** of fine 26-inch genuine New York Mills Bleached Muslin; a bargain at 12¢ cents per yard—\$3.98

**\$1.00 Silk Dress Skirts**, \$7.95

The balance of that great purchase of \$100 Dress Skirts will be placed on sale tomorrow—made of heavy taffeta and Peau de Soie, in dress and walking length, some plainly tailored, others trimmed various styles, with acetate, crepe, ribbed, shirred, ruched, etc., all have separate percale drop skirt—the season's newest—on sale while they last tomorrow at..... \$7.95

**Great Sale Wednesday of Panne Velvet Remnants.**

We bought all the Panne Velvet Remnants a manufacturer of Lyons, France, had on hand, nearly 3000 yards, and tomorrow we will place them on sale.

The lot comprises Colored and Black

Panne Velvets in 1/2 to 3 yard lengths, suitable for all purposes—very fine qualities. They sell regular for \$1.00 a yard—on sale Wednesday—per yard..... 49c

**Great Sale of Envelopes.**

500,000 Envelopes—All Sizes—worth 5¢ and 8¢ a package—on sale at 2c.

We bought the entire stock of Envelopes from a manufacturer, including all styles and sizes, from the very smallest to the large 6x government size. They are all clean and perfect and would readily sell for 5¢ each. However, we give 'em at a bargain and so will you. There's no telling when you'll get this chance again—so buy of the entire lot, per package of 25..... 2c

**Sale of Boys' Clothing.**

Boys' TOP COATS—Of good weaving chinchilla cloth, in blue, double-breasted style, made to button close to neck, with deep collar—nicely lined with plaid lining—ages 2 to 9 years—regular price..... \$1.65

BOYS' KNEE PANTS—Of all-wool gray Cheviot and brown and dark Corduroy—extra well made with patent waist band and tapes—sizes 2 to 12 years—regular price..... 45c

BOYS' CLOAKINGS—60 pieces of very best quality 36 and 40-inch Underdown Cloakings—a big bargain at 40 cents a yard—from 8 to 10, in basement, per yard..... 35c

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**USED LIMB OF TREE AS WHIP**

Richard Ring, Aged 60, Was Found \$20 by Judge Sidenor This Morning.

Richard Ring, 60 years old, was fined \$20 by Judge Sidenor Tuesday morning for beating a mule he was driving. The case was prosecuted by Mrs. Long and Mrs. Mary Calkins of the Golden Chain Human Society, who produced the limb of a tree

They stated that they saw Ring beating the animal with that club while driving the truck, which he drove about the Buchanan bridge. Ring denied that he used anything except a whip.

**LUCAS AND COLONIUS FIGHT.**

Lucas, a 300-Pounder, sits on Colonius, a Bantamweight.

A too ardent argument over public school issues was the cause of a rough and tumble fight between Joseph D. Lucas and T. C. Colonius, two prominent citizens living near Lincoln and Fairmount parks, several days ago.

Mr. Lucas, 300 pounds, was in poor health and was unable to work, but he stated that his health had next morning failed him and that those in Germany might

be provided. These will

**From 10 to 12.**

**Jewelry**—One lot of Rolled Plate Cuff or Baby Pins, nicely engraved, all perfect, \$1.00 per dozen—worth up to \$2.00 from 10 to 12, Main floor—choice..... 2c

**Underwear**—Children's Jersey Bodiced, pleated, Lined, Cotton Union Suits—In natural color, draw back, all sizes, worth regular 12¢ cents—worth up to 12¢ cents from Main floor, per set..... 17c

**Collars**—The balance of the great purchase of boys' and ladies' collars—worth up to \$1.50 per dozen, sizes broken—worth up to 10 to 12, or while they last..... 25c

**Flannelette**—Heavy, dark colored 36-inch Flannelette Lined Wrapper Flannelette—worth up to 12¢ cents from 10 to 12, in Basement, per yard..... 6c

**Dress Sateens**—Fancy printed, light or dark, blue and white Mercerized Dress Sateens—cheap at 12¢ cents from 10 to 12, in Basement, per yard..... 7c

**Towels**—400 pieces of extra heavy Turkish Bath Towels, size 22x45, worth up to \$1.00 per dozen—worth up to 10 to 12, in Basement..... 10c

**Flannel**—All wool 36-inch hemstitched or scalloped White Embroidered Flannel, a bargain at 75 cents per yard—worth up to 12¢ cents from 10 to 12, in Basement..... 45c

**Muslin**—Two cases of 26-inch genuine New York Mills Bleached Muslin; a bargain at 12¢ cents per yard—worth up to 12¢ cents from Main floor, per set..... 7c

**Infants' Shirts**—Infants' Jersey-Plitting All-in-one—white melton, in Oxford ony, 7-gore flare style, heavily stitched bottom..... 19c

**Waist Pin Sets**—Pearl Waist Pin Sets, 4 pins in a set, some large sizes—also Bel. Pins, all Ocean Pearls, manufactured in India—worth up to 60 cents—worth up to 10 to 12, on Main floor, per set..... 10c

**Talcum Powder**—The finest grade of Talcum Powder, from Europe, in fancy lithographed floral box, carnation and cherry anethem, as good as any 25¢ powder—from 10 to 12, on Main floor..... 5c

**Fancy Linens**—A lot of ladies' and men's Linen, Embroidered Spiegel Scarfs and Squares.

Fancy Linen Scarfs and Squares, Cushion Tops, Fancy Open Work Scarfs and odd pieces of Fancy Linens—worth up to 10 to 12, on Third floor, per set..... 25c

**Portieres**—150 odd, large reversible Damask French Portieres, in handsome designs and colorings, worth up to 12¢ cents from 10 to 12, in Basement, per yard..... 98c

**Chiffon**—20-inch, Accordion-Plaited Chiffon, in white, black and colors—actually worth 20 cents per yard—from 10 to 12, in Basement, per yard..... 12c

**Embroideries**—Fine Embroideries of all descriptions, worth up to 12¢ cents per yard—from 10 to 12, in Basement, per yard..... 3c

**Laces**—Lace—Point de Gypure, Point de Venise, Hand and Machine Laces, and Cluny Laces—also a lot of Liere Lace

Flourishing—all odd pieces and worth up to \$1.00 per yard from 10 to 12, on Main floor, per yard..... 25c

**Collars**—Hand-Made French Collars, newest styles—also hand-made Irish Crochet Collars and garnitures for trimming underwear—worth up to 12¢ cents from 10 to 12, on Main floor, per yard..... 39c

**Ironing Wax**—Makes ironing easy and gives the clothes a nice, smooth finish—worth 50¢ a cake—from 10 to 12, on Fourth floor..... 1c

**Water Glasses**—Crystal Glasses—worth 30¢ per dozen, per dozen for 10 to 12, on Fourth floor, one dozen for..... 15c

**Woven Madras**—60 pieces of extra heavy 22-inch Silk Striped Woven Madras, beautiful colorings, well worth 25 cents from 10 to 12, in Basement, per yard..... 10c

**Sash Laces**—30 to 35 inches wide, made of finest Ruffled Bobbinet, or Ruffled lace, with deep lace edges and insertions, suitable for sash and full length window curtains—worth up to 12¢ cents from 10 to 12, in Basement, per yard..... 15c

**Trimmings**—Manufacturers' Samples of Fancy Spangled and Passmanerie Trimmings, in black and fancy colors, a beauty—up to 12¢ cents from 10 to 12, in Basement, per yard—worth up to \$1.00 per yard—choice of all kinds—worth up to 12¢ cents from 10 to 12, in Basement, per yard..... 15c

**Skirt Binding**—Mohair Brush Edge Skirt Binding, velvetine top, colors only, 4 to 5 yards in a piece—worth regularly 40 cents per yard—worth up to 12¢ cents from 10 to 12, on Main floor, per piece..... 5c

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## SHAW RELEASES \$30,000,000 MORE

Government Deposit Reserves  
in Bank Freed.

### BOND RULE IS CHANGED. GOOD SECURITIES ARE LIKE GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Secretary, Asked if Banks Made Stringency to Embarrass Him, Inquired if He or They Suffered Most.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—Secretary Shaw has a humorous streak in him. He was asked if the "money stringency" was not really a scheme to embarrass his administration and force him from his cabinet. With a manly laugh Mr. Shaw asked whether he or the banks seemed the most embarrassed at present.

He thought it only fair to the banking fraternity to make some sort of an answer to a report of that kind, as there was a popular idea about that at times the banks might cause a stringency in the money market for their own gain. Such an idea was absurd, he said, and it might be told to babies to amuse them.

Then, as if to show how much stronger than banks he thought the treasury of the United States was, he handed out an official statement announcing his intention on letting the banks have a mere trifle of \$30,000,000 for pin money.

Mr. Shaw said he had never seen any bank competing with him with a bank's law. He went back to work convinced that Theodore Roosevelt was not qualified for the presidency, and that the nation deserved a better. It was a new era for Morgan.

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The exact language used will be left to the men of Morgan against the men of Roosevelt in bringing Northern and Southern states into Washington to that Attorney-General a mistake, and that the President Roosevelt assumed responsibility for his administration and the administration above. It was a new era for Morgan.

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No Reserves for Government Deposits.

The comptroller of the currency agrees with the secretary, that hereafter banks will not be required to carry a reserve against the first deposit made.

The treasury has on deposit with various banks scattered throughout the country from Maine to California, and from New York to Texas, \$130,000,000 against which they have heretofore been compelled to hold more than \$100,000,000 additional.

This decision will release that much reserves and make \$30,000,000 additional credit.

The secretary said he would continue to make deposit of internal revenue and miscellaneous receipts, all available for that purpose, and that he would not require any more than the amount he would need as long as the situation required, and if banks were unable to obtain government bonds to secure the same, he would then call for a deposit of 10 per cent of the amount of the central cities, state securities, municipal bonds, etc., as are made available by the laws of the several states for savings bonds.

By this it is not intended to loan in excess of 5 per cent of the par value, and nothing will be accepted that has not been paid for, and when given for cash on call. He said he should, of course, determine each case by itself.

**Other Bonds**

as Security.

The secretary further said he would accept security of the class described above, for a portion of the deposit held by each bank now holding a government deposit and release enough 2 per cent consols to cover the probable amount of the sum which may defer to issue. He has recognized the possibility of present conditions, and therefore suggested as last Friday, commercial printing currency preparatory to the needs of the banks to handle the increased business of the fall trade, and has on hand a large number of bills of exchange for twenty-five millions. This can be sent out at the probable rate of five millions a day, and the bank deposit substituted for the other security above, designed for the payment of the consols. This step was contemplated when, some months ago, he asked the banks to make a special deposit to order additional currency printed. The secretary's additional relief therefore may be summarized as follows:

First.—The release of practically thirty millions reserve which will permit the bank to increase their volume of business by numerous millions.

Second.—The substitution of other security for consols now held by the government on condition that the same will be used as basis for increased circulation which, if accepted by the banks, will immediately increase the volume twenty or twenty-five millions.

Third.—The continuation of deposits to the limit allowed by law, accepting if necessary other than government bonds.

**Theosophs Have Adjourned.**

CHEMISTS' SENTINEL.—The American section of the Theosophical Society closed last night.

### HALF A MAN.

DEATH OF JOHN J. MEYER.

Funeral of the Veteran Contractor Held Tuesday Afternoon.

John J. Meyer, 71 years old, a veteran contractor and builder, died early Monday morning at his home, 1727 Missouri avenue, after an illness of two weeks.

Funeral services were held from the family residence, Thursday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. Henry Walser, pastor of St. Luke's Church. Burial was in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

The deceased was a native of Switzerland. He came to America in 1860, and at Rochester, N. Y., was married to Miss Anna Moore, who died in 1888. He came to St. Louis in 1888. Mr. Meyer retired from active contracting several years ago.

He is survived by his wife and seven children: John J. Meyer, Henry F. Meyer, Mrs. William B. Goulding and Mrs. R. W. Moore of St. Louis, and George W. Meyer of Collinsville, two sisters: Mrs. L. Olsen of St. Louis and Mrs. Hoblitzel of Switzerland.

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of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition.

You do not expect a half starved man to work more than half the time. The condition of the man with weak stomach is what of the half starved man. He is weak through lack of nutrition.

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"I had stomach trouble from birth," writes a young woman, "and was a Washingtonville, O. R. Co., N. Y., and suffered from heartburn as I grew up. At the age of 18 I became weak and down with dyspepsia. My suffering was terrible. Could not eat without discomfort. Could not sleep a few certain things and was not able to work half the time. Received no temporary relief. My wife finally persuaded me to try Dr. Pierce's

"Golden Pill." I took six of "Golden Pill" every day and

Clayton Road's Request for Franchise Reinstated by Court.

By the action of the St. Louis County Court Monday the court officially reinstated its resolution.

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**THE COAL FAMINE**  
Examining Board Will Decide Tonight if He Is Cured.

**HELD IN OLD CITY HALL.**

**SLIGHT TRACES OF THE DISEASE WERE FOUND.**

If the Committee, However, Decides That He Has Recovered, It Will Mean a Great Triumph for Medicine.

Dr. Ohmann-Dumesnil, the consulting physician of the health department, who made the examination for that department of Dong Gong, the Chinese leper, stated to a Post-Dispatch representative this afternoon that his report was in readiness for the health department.

He said that after a thorough investigation of Dong Gong it was his opinion that there had not been a complete cure effected and recommended that the leper be gain sent to the pesthouse, where further efforts to effect a cure could be made.

He said that the possibilities for a complete cure were remote and that the reports of a cure from Europe were unfounded.

Dong Gong is a prisoner in the old City Hall. By Tuesday night he will learn whether he is to be released after a cure almost unparalleled, or whether he must return to his lonely cottage on the hillside near quarantine.

The committee which visited Dong in his temporary place of confinement Monday will complete their diagnosis by Tuesday night, and will pass officially on the question whether the patient still has leprosy.

Two others are awaiting the committee's report with an interest almost as deep as that of the captive Chinaman. These are Dr. M. C. Woodruff, who has directed the treatment, and Nurse J. R. White, his companion in the isolation cottage at quarantine.

For the physician an official verdict of the patient's recovery would mean a triumph over the most dreaded and inexorable of all known diseases. It would be the opening of new chapters in medicine.

To the nurse the release of her patient would mean a return to human society, while even if it is found among smallpox patients at Quarantine, has its marked advantages over the constant company of one man of alien birth and strange tongue.

**THOSE WHO WILL JUDGE.**

In the committee, besides Dr. G. A. Jordan are Dr. M. F. Engman, who first discovered the case; Dr. A. M. Wilson and Dr. G. H. Raithel. They were accompanied by Dr. M. C. Woodruff, superintendent of Quarantine, who has directed the treatment of the case.

They found Dong Gong attired in a clean woolen shirt and new black bloomers, and with his black and shaggy hair neatly out. He was talking fluently in his native tongue to a party of four of his countrymen, who had just entered, and from his gestures with a Chinese Bible, which he had been reading, it seemed that he was preaching a sermon to them. The others afterward said that he had been reading to them from the chapter of Scripture which he had just read.

J. R. White, Dong's nurse, was also in the room. The visiting Chinese were Dr. Foo, Eng Ming, John Sing and Sam Lee, the last named Dong's brother.

The four Chinese stood close to the physician while they examined the patient and Dr. Foo acted an interpreter, his chief duty being to tell Dong to make his feelings known when he was poked with pins. They seemed to be little more than such advice as Dong himself at the touch of the pin point, until a spot on his hand was reached. Here he seemed unable to feel pain. For a small area on the knee the symptom was found. This caused Dr. Jordan to shake his head, and was regarded by all the physicians as a bad symptom.

**EVIDENCE OF DISEASE GONE.**

The other superficial tests revealed no trace of the disease which was plainly to be seen on the surface a year ago. Material for various bacteriological tests was taken and the physicians left.

After leaving the patient, Dr. Woodruff related to the other physician the treatment which had given Dong Gong. This consisted of doses of chaulmoogra oil, 60 drops to the dose and three times a day, with plentiful rations of porkchops and as much fresh air as could be found in St. Louis County.

Chaulmoogra oil is the product of a peculiar East Indian bean, and is a particularly nauseating drug. To give it to Dong Gong at first was like administering castor oil to a schoolboy, but now he has come to take it three times daily as a matter of course. The result is that he has a hearty appetite, but has seemed to thrive under it, and is much fleshier as a leper at the city's expense than he was as a laundress, though still ailing much.

Under the action of the oil the red and rough spaces have disappeared from Dong's face, hands and limbs, and the white skin has begun to appear again.

The patient's left knee has faded into a yellow tinged, hardly distinguishable from the rest of the skin.

The chaulmoogra oil treatment was discontinued years ago in England, and two attempts were made to introduce it into that country. Dr. Woodruff believed to have the first successful use of the drug in the United States.

While he says that he is not a "guilt" and that Dong is ordered back home, he will return when he can, but as he tries to convince him of his innocence, he will remove him from his charge.

**In Excursion via Missouri Pacific Railway.**

Washington, New Haven, Ethan, Hermann, Gasconade, Morrison and Mo., \$1.25. Sunday, Oct. 2. Leave a Station 6 a.m.

**PARIS FARMER ROBBED.**

Friendship, and Had to Telegraph for Money.

While strolling on Eighteenth street Monday evening W. R. Shields, a farmer, of Paris, Ill., was accosted by a friend, who told him for the profit of a bet that he had the two departed for hotel room, and the next morning Mr. Shields telephoned Tuesday morning his companion was gone and cash to the amount of \$50 was missing. In notifying the police he telegraphed to Paris, Ill., and him enough to

## THE COAL FAMINE

NEW YORK HOSPITALS' SUPPLY IS NEARLY EXHAUSTED.

### CONSUMERS CALL MEETING.

Purpose of General Meeting at Detroit Oct. 9 Is to Develop Pressure to End Strike.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—Hospitals of this city are threatened with being seriously affected by the scarcity of coal. The J. Hood Wright Hospital has only enough coal to last this week, while St. Luke's was so fortunate as to obtain a cargo of 240 tons about a week ago—enough to last two months.

St. Mary's Hospital for Children has practically no supply of coal, and is unable to furnish coal which it has about 25 tons. This condition prevails at many other institutions.

At present the office of the charities department that no real distress has been experienced in any of the city's charitable institutions.

The price of anthracite has reached \$2, but some retailers are peddling out their small supply at \$15 or \$20 to the customers. Importers of anthracite coal and French bituminous can in no way relieve the situation, for the few cargoes that have been landed are little.

The city has about 8000 tons of this coal now on the way, but orders have been placed this week for over 25,000 tons. An importation of coal is required to fill the orders.

The cost of importing Welsh coal under normal conditions is about \$7.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 30.—The consumers' special committee, which has called a meeting to be held in the Consumers' Club, 2000 Cass, on Oct. 9, to devise means for developing pressure that will end the coal strike, has issued a circular calling upon the governors of Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Missouri, Kentucky, Pennsylvania, New York, Maryland, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New Hampshire, Maine, Massachusetts, New Jersey, and New York to appoint two delegates to attend the conference.

Similar telegrams have been sent to the mayors in the principal cities of those states, each mayor invited to appoint ten members of the conference.

DETROIT SIDEWALKS AS FUEL.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 30.—Not a ton of anthracite coal can be had here at any price. Sidewalks are reported to be torn up in the outlying districts and residents are tearing up the sidewalks and using them for fuel. Coal dealers are reported to be piled up with crowbars and carried off. In some sections canal boats have been used to haul away piles of new lumber left on the streets and some of the stores have disappeared.

BOSTON'S POOR SUFFERING.

BOSTON, Sept. 30.—Mayor Collins has called a conference of representative men of Boston to be held in the Consumers' Club in the common council chamber to consider ways and means for relieving the present coal situation, which is threatening the welfare of the poor of the city.

LONDON ALSO FEELS IT.

LONDON, Sept. 30.—The American coal strike already has made an impression on the British coal market, and if it continues another six months householders in London probably will have to pay \$20 a ton for fuel.

GOAL USED AS JEWELRY.

CHICAGO, Sept. 30.—Genuine black diamond stickpins have been placed on sale in Chicago at 15 cents each. The "black diamonds" are lumps of anthracite coal fastened to gold-washed pins, and are said to be sold at the same price as diamonds.

WOULD BLOW FOLK'S HEAD OFF.

"Hoosier Bill" Offered to Do So for \$20,000, but Says He Didn't Mean It.

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lost in the coal strike?

prevents the hoodlums and criminals can

hinders is no political acrobat, but it has been thought a doing split.

society will need an anathema this winter. It is being usually roared grates.

all, the otherholder makes the best spinbinder. He has only the country to save, but his job.

hope if Congress passes a point resolution praying Mr. Baer to the two houses have winter's supply of coal, he might easily grant the petition. He is a good man.

**EMILE ZOLA**

Emile Zola was a great novelist, but he will be even more famous as a great man.

terrible realistic pictures of low life shocked Christendom brought down upon him the denunciation of critics and moralists.

horrible as they were, they were supported by the

of unquestioned fact. They were convincing in that

at least. Whether an artist is ever justifiable in thrusting

and vice into view is a question upon which men will

ways differ. But, apart from this question of propriety, every

concedes Zola's great power and insight and grasp of the

life of life.

he was not devoted to the slums of thought is evident to readers of "La Re've" (The Dream). That is a work of exotic beauty, pure as a newborn snowflake, wholesome, sane, refreshing. The imagination which conceived that work was foul or debauched. If Zola dwelt upon scenes of horror, it is not because he loved them overmuch, but because he believed that every fact of life must be known and studied if one

understand life.

single-handed, the rehabilitation of Albert Dreyfus, man of many and most of the nation were against him; sought them down, with only his own spirit, self-confidence in justice to inspire him in the terrible struggle.

victory of sheer manhood. The man of letters, the

the artist disappeared in the man, stalwart, sane, over-

compelling a deluded nation to confess itself guilty of

wrong. No other man, save Voltaire, perhaps, ever

greater odds or won a more sweeping victory.

later years Zola stood for humanity. Whatever errors

he may have committed, whatever offenses against

state or intellectual integrity he may have been guilty of,

art "heat strong for what is right and true, and he will be

loved long and lovingly by all those who love justice and

The novelist may be condemned and forgotten; the man

ave as an inspiration to right until the last wrong is quelled.

the police so busy looking for the missing boddies that they

protect the residence districts? Or are they so busy pro-

secuting the residence districts that they can't look for the

boddies?

**WHY WON'T THEY MIX?**

What is it about politics that makes it incompatible with religion? Rev. Paul Saxy, rector of St. Albans' Episcopal Church of West Superior, Wis., not only gave up his pastorate and resigned from the ministry, but presumably dispensed with his religion to enter politics.

Another West Superior preacher, Rev. Mr. Starkweather, served a term as mayor of the city, and became so infatuated with that of thing that he left the ministry to become a politician.

it impossible for a man to be a preacher and a politician at same time? We have Christian statesmen—why not Christian politicians?

the statesman breathes an atmosphere more rarefied than

inhalated by the politician. The statesman is supposed to be

more chicanery and intrigue; the politician is not. A man says,

I am going to be a Christian after I have my fortune made,

can't be a Christian and a business man at the same

So, perhaps, it is with the politician. After he is grad-

from the school of politics and receives his degree of Mas-

ter of Arts he will become a statesman and "quit his mean-

Then he can afford to join the church.

Such may be the reasoning of the two Wisconsin pastors. Be-

ing unable to reconcile politics and religion, they relinquish one

the other. After a while, when they shall have gone through

so much they may conclude to wash their garments and give

gloss another trial.

Biss has made Gen. Alger happy. The ex-secretary of

the United States senator. There are no round robins roosting

the national capital.

**NOT ADAPTED.**

not Rev. W. F. Peck uses words loosely when he declares

suicide is a disease of civilization?

me, suicide is not known among savages, but that does not

that civilization is to blame.

ther it seems to indicate a weakness, innate in human na-

itself. It is not a symptom of disease, but is a sort of signal

announcing that life's pace is too swift for some.

as civilization becomes more complex, the character of man

not become more complex. Only so can the adaptations required

survival be made. A simple savage, set down in the busi-

gerious life of a great modern city and forced to act his

as a member of society, would soon go to the wall. Probably

would choose to leave the world rather than stay in it on

which he could not meet. But his suicide would not prove

a victim of disease.

civilization becomes stronger, more delicate, and more exacting;

en must grow stronger, more delicate and more alert; if they

to be chosen by nature for survival. Those who are unequal

the increasingly severe conditions succumb. Some drag out

unsuccessful lives and die a natural death. Others take time by

forelock and voluntarily take their leave.

No, it is not a symptom of disease. The suicide may be, often

a perfectly healthy man or woman. But such persons are not

quite "adapted." And if the failure to make the necessary ad-

justments between circumstances and their inner life is complete

they consign themselves to the limbo of death.

Gold reports from Kansas are not encouraging. The Kansas

farmer's golden whiskers are perhaps the only auriferous reality

in that great state. Long may they flourish, nourished as they

are by the nutritious cereals of a rich, warm soil and fanned

by the healthful breezes that are ever sweeping across the west-

ern prairies.

**WAGNER'S MUSIC IN KANSAS.**

Wagner is not popular in Kansas. The Emporia brass band

played the overture to "Tannhauser" and the citizens pronounced

it noisy, but not art.

There are passages in that overture," writes one critic: "that

remind me of a quarrel in a saloon. There are tone pictures of

the bartender and the bouncer throwing drunks out of the

saloon."

is a robust sincerity about such criticism refreshing to

accustomed to glibly comment on art by writers not

that they understand. Your Kansan does not trouble

understanding. He doesn't like it and says as in

however, should bear in mind Bill Nye's insistence

music is better than it sounds. In this

he observes apologetically that "good

This is a very superior atti-

tude to the

cable to Wagner's music. Not that it is a jest, but many people

in and out of Kansas have not ears to hear the noise aright and

reduce it to melody and harmony. The music itself is "all right."

The ears are all wrong.

Let the Kansans heed the superior person and let Wagner's music grow upon them gradually. When their ears get used to it they will like it well enough. You can get used to anything. If they pursue this discipline long enough the Emporians will come to appreciate Wagner and look back with something like self-reproach upon their unintelligent gibes about Wagner.

The voters demand an honest and capable man for every office to be filled in the local November election. Nothing less will satisfy them.

**THE FRANCHISE TAX CASE.**

The granting by Judge Robinson of the State Supreme Court of the writ of mandamus directing the State Board of Equalization to assess the property of franchise corporations at their cash value will bring the question of discriminating taxation, through the under assessment of franchise property, squarely before the Supreme Court for adjudication.

It will be recalled that Judge Romberg applied for a similar writ on behalf of the public schools, but the application was denied on the ground of improbability, the reason being given therefor.

No opportunity was offered to present the merits of the case to the court. The Post-Dispatch sought vainly to discover for the public the reasons that prompted the court's denial. Its action left no opportunity for appeal.

But the failure of the board to assess the property of express companies, as the law directs, offered ground for renewed and successful application. It brings the case before the full court for a hearing on its merits Oct. 14.

There is cause for deep gratification on the part of the people of Missouri in the granting of the writ. The State Board of Equalization has confessedly violated the law in the assessment of franchise property. The Post-Dispatch in a long campaign for just taxation repeatedly has exposed the existing gross discrimination in taxation, especially in St. Louis, where real estate is taxed at 70 per cent—its actual cash value—and franchise property at about 30 per cent. The decision of the case will determine whether there is a remedy in the courts for tax discrimination and the open violation of the tax laws.

Every eastern bank knows the time when the crops are to be moved. What excuse can eastern bankers have for not being prepared for the regular drawal upon their deposits?

**GROWING POPULARITY OF BASEBALL.**

Lovers of baseball read with appreciation the excellent summary of the season's work in the Sunday Post-Dispatch. It shows with clearness how the teams stand and the probable reasons for the records they made. And it proved conclusively that baseball is growing in popular favor.

At the opening of the season it seemed doubtful that two leading professional teams would be able to hold the public attention and make expenses. Yet, in spite of the comparative weakness of the National League, the fact that the games were so arranged as not to clash enabled the public to prove that it appreciated baseball enough to give adequate support to both teams. As long as this is so, there is reason to hope that both teams should not survive. It has been shown that we want plenty of baseball. The supply is not yet in excess of the demand.

The splendid record of the Philadelphia team of the American League entitles that team to hearty congratulations by all good sportsmen. The must joke as to Philadelphia sleepiness should now be definitely shelved.

Next year, with as good fielding and with better talent at the bat, St. Louis will doubtless carry off the American pennant.

It appears that the minor teams are not developing enough first-class men to supply the demand in all respects. This will doubtless be remedied. The showing this year seems to prove that young America is out-Englishing the English in enthusiasm for sport.

**KING EDWARD.**

King Edward, who played the races and had a "good time" with his great income, is now lamenting that he has not so much money as Carnegie with which to do good. While the Scotchman was accumulating money, the Englishman was accumulating debts and diseases. An old man looking back with sorrow upon the great mistakes of his life is pitiful, whether he be a king or a pauper.

The man who was murdered and decapitated by a waiter in New York gave tips freely. So it seems that tipping may not only be immoral but dangerous. The monster ingratitude may be loosing around in a restaurant or hotel as well as anywhere else.

Justice is blind, but she may recover her sight long enough to get a peep at the \$250,000 statistics connected with the Central Tractation board.

Speaker Henderson's refusal to stand for re-election may have been based on the knowledge that Congress has run out of coal.

Zola had a pet dog. And that is an extenuating circumstance, even though Chicocease declare his books unfit for publication.

There may be nothing left of the World's Fair site after Texas gets through selecting all the space she will need.

The weather prophet is without knockers, save in his own country.

The booder and his friends are soon parted by the jailer.

## Just A Minute

WITH THE POST-DISPATCH  
DOCTOR AND PHILOSOPHER.

ALFONSO.

Little "Fonso, King of Spain, Very young and very wild, Tramping through the world alone, is afraid he'll lose his throne.

Fonso flirts with the ladies from Malaga clear to Cadiz. (If you say it through your teeth, it will sound much like Ca-death.)

Has been lazy here of late

And neglecting care of state, While his rival, Duke Abruzzi,

Like the busy bee so buzzzy,

Has been active, understand,

Writing letters ("I'm no joke")

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# MAYER STORE

# Hour Sale Wednesday



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## OPENING OF BELASCO'S THEATER BY MRS. CARTER

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NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—The dedication of the new Belasco theater with the resumption of Mrs. Leslie Carter's performance in "Dr. Harry" last night was more than a formal ceremony as a dramatic event, and to it the audience, quite as much as the actors, took part.

The audience was exceptionally fine, with wealth, fashion and the professions liberally represented. But all those who filled the auditorium and whose names have significance in current affairs were as nothing to Mrs. Carter, compared with the company of stars at the right of the stage, to whom Mrs. Carter added the following citizens:

Frank E. Alexander, manager sales department; Wm. A. Aldredge, secretary Standard Hardware Co.; William Brown, general agent Flower Cooperative Co.

He was Dudley Carter, the only son of the actress, from whom she has been separated for a year and a half, and who has not been permitted to see except on rare occasions for apart. Youthful, dignified, full of grace and pride, and he watched intently every movement of his gifted mother. His features resembled hers: the tawny wealth of her wonderfulness had a counterpart in color with his own.

Beside him sat an elderly woman in a red dress, the actress' mother. Her mother, Mrs. Dudley of Chicago, had brought her grandson to see his mother in perhaps the triumphal moment of her career.

After Mrs. Carter's furious scene in the Palace of Versailles, where Mme. Du Barry had been loved into insanity by her own safety and had him under the coverlet of her bed to have him under the skin of the wall, Dudley Carter leaned far over the rail of the box and looked down upon his mother, a spray of illusory flowers. They were showered upon her from the other boxes, and she knelt and picked up the tribute of her son and pressed it again and again to her bosom.

Up and down went the curtain and down rang the applause, but she saw nothing but her son's face.

Another incident marked the dedication.

In a box at the left sat Charles Warner, and when the curtain fell and the overture of the orchestra started to play "My Country 'Tis of Thee," Mr. Warner sprang to his feet. A man in the auditorium followed suit. Still another in the rear sprang to his feet and in an instant the entire audience was on its feet.

Mrs. Carter was not at her best last night. She was overwrought with emotion, and besides she was hampered by a severe cold.

At the Columbia's bill.

Roberts, Hayes and Roberts presented something new at the Columbia yesterday, and the male and female stars of the show are a real "Texas Steer," Texans, and he makes the hit of life. His make-up is that of a Texan, and his mannerisms and ways are in keeping. If he could get a play written around the part he could easily make a fortune, and even though he has another new thing on the Columbia bill, one which made a hit with last night's audience, he is still a star. The orchestra is a first-class musical organization and has several popular melodies in an entertainment.

Bennett & Co. are billed as headliners, and the turn is possibly entitled to its distinction, for it has been stated that something never more amusing is in store. Miss Bennett wishes to continue the act she showed the caricatureans, and certain scenes are to be staged to do so. Billy Clifford, with a box that buckles down, and Angie Green, who has a box that buckles up, are also among the list of entertainers. In addition to those named, the cast includes:

"Widow's Courtship,"

"Animal with almost human soul," Dan McLean, the famous

and M. Dell, master acrobats, gymnasts, Dillon

rope songs, and Clayton, r.

MORE'S LATEST.

**HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS**

Loss of Appetite  
Means weak digestion. A dose of the Bitters before meals will strengthen the stomach, restore the appetite and cure Headache, Indigestion, Dyspepsia and Constipation.

Be sure to try it. For sale by all druggists.

## Commencing 8 O'clock Wednesday.

12c FLANNELETTE, 5c.  
150 yards, 36 inches wide, for wrappers.  
10c BOX IMPORTED SARDINES, 10c.  
BOYS' \$1.50 SWEATERS, 99c.  
100 combination colors, 6 to 20 years.  
BOYS' 35c KNEE PANTS, 19c.  
200 pairs, sizes 3 to 15 years.  
30c VEILS, 17c.  
White, with colored borders and chenille dots.  
75c KNIT PETTICOATS, 29c.  
Solid red, black and navy, fancy border.

LADIES' 15c HOSE, 5c.  
Black, with white feet.  
10c CHAMOIS, 4c.

LADIES' 75c NATURAL MIXED VESTS, 39c.

INFANTS' 36c SLIPS, 19c.  
Long pattern, trimmed neck and sleeves.

\$1.50 WRIST BAGS, 50c.

\$1 CHILDREN'S BAGS, 39c.

4 PIECES MUSIC FOR 50c.

"Sunbeam Sue," "Lorraine," "She Would Never Love Again" and "My Southern Home."

REAL BATTEBURN LACE PIECES, 1/2

For this hour you may buy any piece of Real Lace Battenburg in the Art Department, at one-half its marked price. Yesterday, July 21, 1902, a star in one act, appeared as a lad in blouse and trousers. The enthusiasm of the audience overcame the shyness of the young boy, and Barrymore was rewarded with twenty tumultuous calls during the evening.

## "A ROSE O' PLYMOUTH ROCK."

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—"A Rose o' Plymouth Rock" was produced at the Manhattan Theatre last evening and was good enough to receive by the audience.

The construction is crude, with melodramatic scenes for each one of the four comic and tragic acts. The characters are poorly drawn. None of them is consistently drawn. There is no treatment, vaccination, indication, indecision, all that.

The acting did not help matters. Minnie Durey, the prima donna of color in the lighter scenes, but she was insincere and unsympathetic, and the harshness of her voice added to the general impression.

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12c OIL CLOTHES, 10c.  
50 pieces, colored, 1/4 yards wide.  
45c BOTTLE GRAPE JUICE, 25c.  
Gleason's extra quality, full quart size.  
BOYS' \$2 SUITS, 99c.  
Big value, fast colors, sizes 3 to 15.  
MEN'S \$2 TROUSERS, 99c.  
300 pairs, well made.

40c VESTS, 29c.

Green, red, fancy border, white dots.

2 WALL PAPER, 76c.

10 rolls wall, 6 rolls ceiling, 18 yards of 8-inch border.

\$1.50 SCHOOL HATS, 49c.

100 new rough felt, white and colors.

LADIES' 50c DRAWERS, 25c.

Large lot of samples, black and colors.

LADIES' 15c HOSE, 10c.

White and black.

25c VIOLET PERFUMED AMMONIA, 5c.

LADIES' 75c VESTS, 59c.

Postillion BELTS, 38c.

Black, green, red and blue.

LADIES' \$2.50 BELTS, 50c.

Black Silk and Satin, ornamental buckles.

50c GOLD-PLATED BEAUTY PINS, 5c.

Sample Derby and Alpine. Fall shapes.

BOYS' 75c BIBS, 1c.

Percal and Madras, detachable waistbands.

INFANTS' \$1.50 SWEATERS, 49c.

All wool, red and white, navy and white, red and blue.

25c HEAD RESTS, 5c.

Great bargain.

10c SHELL SILK WAISTS, 98c.

Taffeta, all in colors. Stock collar and tucked front and back.

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## SPORTS NEWS

### IVITY ON DRING GRIDIRONS

ing Hard to Meet Lombard on Other Local Games Scheduled of Missouri Team Rounding in Under O'Dea's Teaching.

he Washington at places these a opening game. Enough men ap- work a possibility eleven should be

a work for some have been eleven. The enemy one week ago last and against Chicago won out but Lombard a her big tackle, Eusine for a score, in the game eleven, fact that it rolled up points on the Lombard team. The game Saturday is also not a

game of last season have or twice and the line will come up, owing to want of con-

of Tolson, in last year's team, in the best of

Lehman practically out of a fullback was wanting. Tolson

found in the state at the present.

for the Lombard game is certain. Knaus will go in at with Roberts and Smith at half

son fullback. Of the rest, Lombard could be arranged.

Gordon and W. Krause, ends,

and Coughlin, tackles; Schantz and

Goebel, if he can get

the game, center. No ground game

is in the cards, which makes Saturday will prob-

ably be the scene of the game.

the Washington game, two more scheduled to be played here Saturday, other dates follow. The two now are at Louis' University, Va., West at Sportmen's Park, and Marion

at the East St. Louis High School.

The game against C. B. C. Saturday, and is a fair showing. These lines will be set up, and the game will be started early left guard; G. Lauman, center; right guard; A. Lauman, right

end; A. Hustedt, left tackle; K. Scheerer, right halfback; J. Eggenau,

halfback; and A. Eggenau, fullback.

The Lombard game, however, may easily be changed, owing to the fall

of the Central College season.

It is stated that the Central College will not be able to meet

on Oct. 4, and in that event

Columbia will play the State University.

Should this be done, the game with the East St. Louis High School Alumni will be postponed and played later.

Unrest activity prevails at Manual Training School, football circuit, this season. The school is working hard to

put a first-class team in the field, and so far

men have been rounded up for practice is charge of Roy Ellers, formerly center and

guard for the University. Johnson is heading the team this season,

and he has a winner in interscholastic circles.

## WOMAN'S GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

Competing for National Honors on Brookline Country Club Links.

BROOKLINE, Mass., Sept. 30.—The National golf championship of the country, or women, was started here today over an 18-hole course of the Brookline Country Club.

Smith's squad is growing daily. Thirty-

the ball players themselves and doubtless by the other league magnates, the retirement of the New York owner who has held with joy on his team, which has

been roundly beaten for practice is charge of the team, and second

it will receive silver medal.

In the rounds, including the finale, it be at 18 holes.

the conditions for good golf and low scores are particularly bright when

days would succeed under prevailing

it was thought that scores of 13,

or even 12, would qualify for the match of tomorrow.

## ORLD'S FAIR LEAGUE TONIGHT

red Hat Bowlers to Begin Their Season With Three Match Games.

World's Fair Cocked-Hat League open its season this evening with three games. This season the League has eight and eight alleys. Last year the club became the champion of teams, only alleys. This week, schedule to play at Delmar—St. Louis, at home, to Broadmoor, at home, to An Avenues, at home, to Delmar—Broadmoor, at home, to Delmar—Black Labels, at home, to meadoahs.

## EN ECHO GOLFERS TO PLAY

he semi-finals in the contest for the president's cup will be played by members of the Glen Echo Golf Club Saturday night at the Union station.

Bob Wallace was departing for his home and was escorted to the station by the members and Secretary of the club. The party at the station the players started a ball to one another in the waiting room, and after dinner the game began, when the same performance was carried on. As a parting tribute to Wallace, Powell and several others got him in readiness for work after harvest. The first was to rebuild the great built two years ago, and the second, to get him in readiness for work after harvest. Two years ago, the team cannot be had for love or money, and we cannot do anything until we get team to rebuild the great men who have team can secure plenty of work at splendid wages in the Palouse country, and there is a good deal of work to be had until fall into the winter.

## BASEBALL GOSSIP.

Official statistics of the American Association show the local club failed to get first place. The club stands next to last in the team batting list and had but two wins and ten losses.

Men who have team as well as did speak for the work of the club in other respects.

Such a scarcity of team, however known to all, has been trying, and has

done a great deal of damage to the

team, and the club has issued a call for

a meeting to be held at 615 Locust street tonight.

Course enthusiasts are invited to attend.

## LIVESTOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Sept. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,000, including steers, \$7,200-\$7,500; cows, \$4,400-\$4,700; feeders, \$2,200-\$2,500; calves, \$1,200-\$1,500.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is the best of all remedies for children toothache.

BAKER ALLEGES A BOYCOTT

First Game of Its Kind Ever Brought Before a St. Clair Grand-jury.

John Ritt, a Belleville baker, has brought before the St. Clair grandjury the first charge of boycotting which the county authorities have ever had to face. He has asked the grandjury of the Belleville Bakers' Union be indicted for violating the statutes of Illinois relative to boycotting.

Ritt says he has been compelled to do his own work. When the bakers' union recently declared against night work, Ritt says he was made the victim of a boycott. Stickers were posted by the union bakers advising the public not to patronize him. As Belleville is a union town, Ritt says the stickers have a great

influence on the fans of New York, by which injured his business.

## POST-DISPATCH DAILY RECORD

### PRICES JUMPED IN WALL STREET

Wild Scenes During First Hour of Trading.

MISSOURI PACIFIC GAINED 5 1/4.

BUT IT SOON LOST GROUND WITH OTHER STOCKS.

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NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—There were wild scenes on hour on the Stock Exchange this morning on account of the violent rebound in prices from yesterday's market.

High had enough though to make up three elevens this year.

Smith can equal that showing, it will go hard with High School before the academy boys lose the pennant another year.

The first really fatigued of the year, on which the team will go in at half past, is the game between Tolson and Lombard.

It will be a hard fight, though.

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SEPTEMBER RISES FROM 90 TO 95  
CENTS IN FIVE MINUTES.Many Chicago Shorts Caught, and in  
Their Endeavor to Make Good  
Their Contracts the Mar-  
ket Soared Rapidly.CHICAGO, Sept. 30.—September wheat  
sold on the Board of Trade today at 90c,  
which is the highest price on that cereal  
since the great Leiter deal in '98. The  
cause of the high price today was the fact  
that all the available supply was practi-  
cally cornered, and it was rumored that  
Armour & Co. had the greater part of it.There has been great anxiety among  
shorts in September wheat for the past two  
weeks, but it was supposed that all of  
them had covered during the scare of  
last week. However, when trading opened  
this morning it was seen that there was  
still a great number who had not made  
good their contracts.The price was 94c higher at 88c to  
90c, and quickly advanced to 90c, around  
which figure there was considerable selling  
and a decline to 88c followed.Later the shorts again renewed their ef-  
forts to cover and the price rose in 5  
minutes from 88 to 90c.

## PRODUCE MARKET.

Receipts, 2000 packages, local and 1160 through  
ships, 1000 packages. Market steady at the for-  
cast and 88c lost off.CANTALOUPES—Dull. Rockforders, standard  
crates, \$1.25/bd.; punts, 75c/bd.

FRUIT.

APPLIES—Demand in standard barrels;

Ben Davis at 75c for 100 lbs up to \$1.75/bd for

7.5 lbs; Farmers at 75c to 82.50c; Missouri

apple at 82.50c; Jonathan at \$2.50 to 5.00c;

Red Delicious at 75c; D'Anjou at 75c; North

for windfall; Grimes' Golden at \$1.75/bd; 75c;

North Spy at \$2 to 50c; Lawler at \$1.25/bd;

Honey Crisp at 75c; Winesap at 75c; other

varieties according; New York mixed varieties at

\$1.25/bd.

CRAB APPLES—Michigan Hyslop and Sherman

at \$1.75/bd; 50c per lb.

PINEAPPLES—Home-grown Durchein, \$2.25/bd;

2.50c; Kiefer, by bbl; 82c; Nickles, 80c per bbl;

Barberries at \$2.75/bd; 2.25c per bbl.

PINEAPPLES—Fresh, bush baskets at 75c

to \$1.25, according to quality; 1-5 bu baskets at

\$1.25; 10 bu bush basket at 1.75/bd; 10 bu

bush basket at 2.25/bd; 1.75c per bbl.

ORANGES—Calif. Valencia, \$1.50/bd for choices

and 75c for fancy; 10c per bbl.

GRASS SEEDS—Timothy, \$2.50 per bushel; \$2.00

per bushel; grass seed, 50c for choice seed in chaff and

fancy; 50c for plain.

BEANS—A small way from store.

White beans, choice hand-picked per lb., 75c;

Dried green peas—Scotch scarce at \$1.75; split

peas, 75c; black eye, \$2.25; California pink per lb.

CUCUMBERS—Prune, yellow, 40c; yellow, 40c;

cooling, 40c.

CATTLED—Market stronger.

SALESMAN—In standard barrels;

PEAS—Demand local and 1160 through

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LIVE STOCK.

National Stock Yards.

TODAY'S RECEIPTS

Native cattle . . . . . 100c

Hogs . . . . . 50c

Beef . . . . . 50c

Pork . . . . . 50c

Pork chops . . . . . 50c



## WANTED-FEMALE.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.  
MUNICIPAL, 10 O'clock a.m.  
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ID-15 hair dressing, man-  
treatment; new and practical  
style; 4 weeks required; graduate  
not all or write. Mabel Col-  
ket, 1101.  
THE-1000 young ladies to for  
us; produce from \$4. 1981 Franklin.

TED-Steady clean work; \$6 to \$12  
an hour. 3000 Oliv. st.

ANTED-Ladies to do house work. Call  
Fine st., 2737 Locust av.

ER'S WANTED-Steady laundry; white,  
day. 2737 Locust av.

ASSETS WANTED-First-class laundry;  
we able to do shirts and collars. 3611  
av.

DEBES WANTED-Good laundry (white),  
days, Tuesdays; references. Apply 4450  
Linster pl.

SEGUIN WANTED-At 8465 Delmar bl.

MURKIN WANTED-Competent nurse to  
aid with housework; good wages; bring refs.

MURKIN WANTED-Very nice girl to help care  
for two children; must be over 18. 101 Virginia av.

NURSE WANTED-Attend lady during  
confinement. 2700 Grant.

NURSE WANTED-An ex  
nurse care of infant; apply  
se. 4525 McPherson.

MURKIN WANTED-Girl  
factory work. 4420 Easton Av.

NURKIN WANTED-Girl to nurse and do up  
stairs work; good wages. 4126 Laclede av.

OPERATOR WANTED-50 experienced sewing  
machine operators on shirts, overalls and duck  
clothing; good wages. Premium Mfg. Co.,  
1008 and 1010 St. Charles.

PAINTER WANTED-Handsome  
painter on custom pants. O. M. Hinsz, 4205  
Market st., room 8.

SALESMAN WANTED-Around salaried  
for dry goods and clothing store; only those  
with good experience and first-class references need apply.  
1116 Easton av.

SALESMAN WANTED-An experienced sales-  
man, hardware department. Schaper Bros., 815  
N. Broadway.

SCHOOL GIRL WANTED-School girl; apply  
as housekeeper. Laclede Hotel, 616 and  
Chouteau av.

SCHOOLMATES WANTED-Competent seamstress  
by the hour. 501 Lindell av.

SCHOOLMATES WANTED-Walshmakers desirous  
of earning a little wage, apply Olga Mfg.  
Co., 1101 N. Locust st.

SEWING ANTS-First-class sewers for dress-  
making. 3741 Winder pl.

SAILOR'S WANTED-MAKERS-Shirtwaist  
makers; highest price, in the city; easiest  
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# CONNOR-EGAN GROCER CO.

**3 BIG STORES.**      **21ST ANNIVERSARY**      **3 BIG STORES.**

Tomorrow, October 1st, we will celebrate our 21st Anniversary by inaugurating one of the most tremendous Grocery sales ever held in St. Louis. We have built up our immense business by serving the public in an honest manner. OUR 3 BIG STORES are monuments to the people's patronage. It will be our endeavor in the future, as it has in the past, to give the best groceries for the least money and serve our trade in an honest and faithful manner.

WE APPEND A LIST OF PRICES WHICH CANNOT FAIL TO APPEASE THE READY CASH BUYER.

THESE PRICES FOR THIS WEEK ONLY.

Large bottle Crosse & Blackwell's English Chow-Chow	<b>28c</b>	Largest bottle My-Wife's Salad Dressing	<b>18c</b>	Bromangelon, per package	<b>10c</b>	New Cream of Wheat—2 packages	<b>25c</b>	Fairbank's Gold Dust—4-pound package	<b>16c</b>
Quart bottle Puget Olive Oil	<b>42c</b>	New Blue Label Corn, per can, 10c: per dozen.	<b>\$1.10</b>	Heinze's Baked Beans, with tomato sauce		Eagle Milk—2 cans	<b>25c</b>	Force—2 packages	<b>25c</b>
Swift's Premium Hams—per pound	<b>14c</b>	Cairn's Scotch Marmalade, per jar	<b>20c</b>	1-pound can	<b>9c</b>	Star Cleaner—3 cakes	<b>10c</b>	New Genuine Milchner Holland Herring, per keg	<b>90c</b>
Knox's Sparkling Gelatine—per package	<b>10c</b>	Pint bottle Lea & Perrin's Sauce	<b>21c</b>	2-pound can	<b>12c</b>	Strictly Pure Lard—2 pounds	<b>25c</b>	New Purina Wheat—3 packages	<b>25c</b>
Fancy Guatemala Coffee—per pound, 20c; 5¢ pounds	<b>\$1.00</b>	Largest bottle Faust's Oyster Cocktail Catsup	<b>19c</b>	3-pound can	<b>16c</b>	Walter Baker's Premium Chocolate—per pound	<b>29c</b>	Lipton's Best Ceylon Tea—per pound	<b>60c</b>
Snow White Flake Tapioca—per pound	<b>5c</b>	New Fancy Evaporated Peaches, 3 pounds	<b>25c</b>	Standard's Royal Patent Flour—98-pound sack	<b>\$1.80</b>	Malta-Vita—2 packages	<b>25c</b>	Sapolio—per cake	<b>6c</b>
New Evaporated Apricots—per pound	<b>10c</b>	Van Houten's Dutch Cocoa—1-4-pound can	<b>20c</b>	48-pound sack	<b>90c</b>	Gold Medal Flour—98-pound sack	<b>\$2.00</b>	Cerro-Fruto—2 packages	<b>25c</b>
Cook's Flaked Rice, per package	<b>12c</b>	1-2-pound can	<b>39c</b>	24-pound sack	<b>45c</b>	48-Pound Sack	<b>\$1.00</b>	Grape Nuts—per package	<b>10c</b>
		1-pound can	<b>69c</b>	New Quaker Oats—3 packages	<b>25c</b>	24-Pound Sack	<b>50c</b>		
		Durkee's Salad Dressing—Pint bottles	<b>36c</b>	Best Eastern Granulated Sugar, 21 pounds	<b>\$1.00</b>				
		Half-pint bottles	<b>21c</b>	Dwinell & Wright Co.'s Royal Mocha and Java Coffee, per can	<b>81c</b>				

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Jefferson and Franklin Avenues, Vandeventer and Finney Avenues, Page and Union Avenues.

BOTH TELEPHONES.

### M AGAINST STUART ESTATE

Clara M. Laurel Wants \$2140 for Services as Housekeeper for Some Years.

Mrs. Clara M. Laurel, a strikingly handsome brUNETte, filed a claim Tuesday morning against the estate of George Stuart, 20 Main, alleged to be due for her services as housekeeper and nurse to the deceased from October, 1883 to 1901.

The mother of Mrs. Laurel, Mrs. Barbara Hobkirk, of 1801 Hogan Street, testified before Probate Judge John Henderson that her daughter was constant in her attendance upon Mr. Stuart during his illness, and that the late George Stuart, in his will, directed that he would remember Mrs. Laurel in his will, "lived at Gratiot Station."

New York Central Twentieth Century recently made the 14-mile run from Albany to New York in 47 seconds. A 10-mile mile was as low time as 47 seconds.

### AFTER STRATTON'S MONEY

Biggest Claimant Is Mining Company That Wants \$6,000,000.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Sept. 30.—If all the litigation now threatened is begun against the W. S. Stratton estate, the trustees will eat up a large portion of it.

The created claim comes from the venture of London, England, which bought the Independence mine for \$10,000,000, and now alleges that the property was salted, and asks the refund of \$6,000,000 from the estate. Two alleged common-law wives are said to yearn for recognition for \$6,000 apiece, while a syndicate of 100 men, who were to receive \$100,000 each, is to sue for \$1,000,000 for the son for allowing the use of his name, while the promoters take care of all expenses and give him \$100,000.

Mr. Stratton died in 1891, and the son, who was cut off with \$20,000, in his contest. It is currently reported that these women are to be paid \$1,000,000 each, and the son \$1,000 for allowing the use of his name, thus eliminating the question of chance from the investment.

### NOVEL SCHEME FOR MONEY

Government Bonds Borrowed, Converted Into Cash and the Specie Sent Into Circulation in Southwest.

The call for loan of 2 per cent, 8 per cent, 4 per cent or 5 per cent United States government bonds by Francis & Co. has caused much speculation among local bondholders and equally as much comment among local financiers to whom the scheme seems to be new.

Mr. W. P. Kennett of the firm Tuesday made this statement to the Post-Dispatch:

"There seems to be much misapprehension regarding the disposal of the bonds we want. It is simply to increase the circulation. If you own government bonds and will turn them in to us we will pay you 2 per cent more than you paid for them."

When we secure the bonds we pass them on to Washington, depositing them there on behalf of the country, and then on their face value. We turn the money over at a rate, to any banking institution and it in turn loans it to some small southwest institution on its term. The small banks through the southwest country then make their term loans, and the circulation is increased.

While such a plan is good, after it is known how much money it will take to move the crops and we decided that there was no way to do it.

"Naturally, the money will return with its interest through the same process, except that it will be paid directly by the government here. The amount of the government loan will be forwarded to Washington and the borrowed bonds sent here to be returned to their owners."

The lenders have the privilege of returning their bonds at 60 days.

With the coming of the plain novel in St. Louis, Prof. W. P. Kennett, of the War Department, and Brigadier-General Carter, acting Adjutant-General of the army, and Gov.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Raspopoff, the Russian military attaché, arrived last night in the world's only colored infirmary.

He was much active service, and at once gave evidence of his intention to see the bright side of things. He looked around the room as he came in, and the intense darkness his vision might possibly

extend 10 feet, turned his face toward the west, where the sun was setting.

"This is beautiful," he said. "The sky is

bluey-tiful. It is always nice to come to a camp in rain."

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